

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 /011 W  
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R 061201Z JUL 78  
FM AMEMBASSY GABORONE  
TO AMEMBASSY MASERU  
AMEMBASSY MBABANE  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 2643  
AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

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MASERU AND MBABANE FOR CHARGES

DEPARTMENT FOR AF/EX

PRETORIA FOR DATT

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PDIP BC LT WZ  
SUBJ: FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS

1. THIS IS TO RECORD WARMEST THANKS TO YOU AND YOUR STAFF FOR MAKING POSSIBLE THE PARITY IN FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS FOR LESOTHO, SWAZILAND AND BOTSWANA BY MEANS OF SUCCESSIVE GATHERINGS ON JULY 2, 3 AND 4. I BELIEVE THESE EVENTS ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE RAPID GROWTH OF US POLICY INTERESTS AND PROGRAMS IN THE AREA. THE AVAILABILITY OF DATT AIRCRAFT AND EFFICIENT, DIRECT TRANSPORTATION TO POSTS PROVIDED INDISPENSABLE ELEMENT IN THIS UNIQUE SCENARIO.

2. OUR GRATITUDE IS ALL THE GREATER BECAUSE OF EXTRAORDINARY DEPENDENCE ON POST INITIATIVES AND ORGANIZATION. PLEASE CONVEY OUR APPRECIATION TO ALL CONCERNED. IN THE COURSE OF COMING WEEKS I LOOK FORWARD TO EVALUATING RESULTS FOR GUIDANCE NEXT YEAR.

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